

ABSTRACT

Compounds of formula (I) where: {R¹ is methyl, ethyl, cycloalkyl or optionally substituted aryl; Z is arylene or a group of formula –(CHR⁴)_n-, where R⁴ is hydrogen, hydroxy or alkyl, and n is a number from 0 to 6; Y is carbonyl or a –CH₂- group; Q is a residue of a mono- or poly- hydroxyl compound having from 1 to 6 hydroxy groups; and x is a number from 1 to 6; and esters thereof} are useful as sensitizers for use in radiationcurable compositions.

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